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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 1330

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"AN ACT CONCERNING RECORDED LIENS ON A MOBILE MANUFACTURED HOME."

- 1 In line 1, before "Subdivision" insert "Section 1."
- 2 After line 24, insert the following:
- 3 "Sec. 2. Subdivision (4) of subsection (e) of section 21-80 of the
- 4 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
- 5 thereof:
- 6 (4) At the hearing on the petition, the court shall determine whether
- 7 all the requirements of subdivisions (1), (2) and (3) of this subsection
- 8 have been satisfied and, if they have, shall also determine whether the
- 9 home has been abandoned. If such requirements have been satisfied
- 10 and such home has been abandoned, the court shall order the owner of
- 11 the mobile manufactured home park to conduct a public sale of the
- 12 home. Nothing in this section shall preclude the court from deferring
- 13 the entry of an order requiring sale and from issuing other appropriate

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orders, if the court finds that, within a reasonable period of time, the owner of the mobile manufactured home will remove the home from the lot or dispose of the home by sale or will make other appropriate arrangements with the park owner. The order directing sale shall require notice which includes a conspicuous statement that the sale will extinguish all previous ownership and lien rights. Notice shall be given by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, to all persons entitled to notice of the petition. Notice shall also be posted conspicuously at the entrance of the home and shall be advertised at least three times in the real estate section of a daily paper with general circulation in the area where the park is situated. Any person, including a lienholder or the owner of the mobile manufactured home park, may bid at the sale. The proceeds of such sale shall be applied first to the costs of the sale, which may include an allowance for unpaid rent, not to exceed six months, in the court's discretion, and then to the payment of lienholders in the order of the priority of their liens. If proceeds remain thereafter they shall be paid over to the owner of the mobile manufactured home. Upon conclusion of the sale, the park owner shall file an affidavit with the court setting forth the nature of its compliance with the court's order of sale. The court, upon finding compliance with its order, shall issue a conveyance of title and release of liens, if any, to the purchaser for filing in the land records, which shall constitute good title to the home, and no execution shall issue on the original summary process action."

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